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First Named Inventor	Jean-Marc WIEDERRECHT	Attorney Docket No.	GLN-031US
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## RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10(e)

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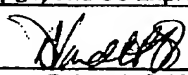
May 25, 2005

ATTENTION: OFFICE OF PCT LEGAL ADMINISTRATION  
 Derek A. Putonen  
 Attorney Advisor

Dear Sir:

The attached Affidavit is in response to the Decisions on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.10(e) dated May 5, 2005 on (1) USSN 10/528,995, received by mail on May 9, 2005, and (2) USSN 10/527,897, received by fax on May 23, 2005 (collectively "Decisions").

The Affidavit is also further to the May 23, 2005 telephone conversation between Derek Putonen, US Patent & Trademark Office ("USPTO") Attorney Advisor, Kurt Van Tassel and the undersigned, both of Van Tassel & Associates ("VTA"), and the subsequent telephone conversation on May 24 between Msrs. Putonen and Van Tassel. During the May 23, 2005 telephone discussion, we learned that Mr. Putonen had prepared the Decision on USSN 10/527,897, but that the US Postal Service ("USPS") apparently failed to deliver the envelope containing that Decision.

CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by facsimile to the Commissioner for Patents, Office of PCT Legal Administration, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, to the facsimile number and on the date indicated below.	
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The Decisions acknowledge that my March 14, 2005 submission satisfies Items (1) and (2) of 37 CFR 1.10(e). However, Mr. Putonen has requested evidence to satisfy Item (3) and a statement under Item (4) of 37 CFR 1.10(e).

Accordingly, my Affidavit and accompanying US Express Mail log are attached to satisfy Item (3). More specifically, the attached Affidavit and US Express Mail log confirms that the correspondence required to make timely entry for each of the above-identified PCT applications was, in fact, deposited as US Express Mail on September 19, 2003 but, in all likelihood, was lost by the USPS and hence, never received by the USPTO for timely processing.

With respect to Item (4), I hereby attest that the copies of the subject correspondence, submitted on March 14, 2005, are true and complete copies of the original papers deposited as US Express Mail correspondence on September 19, 2003. Furthermore, I personally prepared the Express Mail package and its contents and affixed to that package a US Express Mail label having (a) Express Mail #ER275611037US and (b) two carbonless copy receipts with one for the USPS to return to me. Moreover, I personally deposited the Express Mail package on September 19, 2003 ("09-19-03 US EMP") notwithstanding the USPS's failure to enter the package into its Express Mail delivery system for delivery to the USPTO, and hence, its failure to return a completed US Express Mail label copy receipt for ER275611307US to the return address I provided thereon.

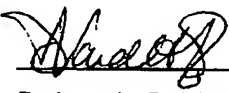
Accordingly the translations, fees and other documents, required for advancing and preserving US national phase entry under 35 U.S.C. §§371 and 372, of their respective earlier filed international applications, which the USPTO received from the International Bureau on September 26, 2002, were timely filed.

In the May 24 discussion between Mr. Putonen and Mr. Van Tassel, Mr. Putonen indicated that it would be unnecessary to provide USPS status reports confirming successful delivery of 41 out of 42 US Express Mail packages that VTA mailed to the USPTO in the past two years as Mr. Van Tassel proposed in an earlier voice-mail message. Mr. Van Tassel indicated these status reports were direct evidence for showing, at least by inference, that the single US Express Mail package without a delivery confirmation report (i.e., the 9-19-03 EMP) was, in all likelihood, lost by the USPS. Nonetheless, Mr. Putonen indicated my US Express Mail log should be sufficient. More specifically, Mr. Putonen advised Mr. Van Tassel that after further consultation with another attorney in his department regarding the facts related to this renewed petition that my US Express Mail log should be sufficient in view of my Affidavit swearing to the September 19, 2003 US Express Mail deposit date. Accordingly, the

renewed petition would likely be considered under 37 CFR 1.10(d), rather than 1.10(e). Nonetheless, Mr. Van Tassel indicated I would provide further statements (already developed for satisfying 1.10(e)) to show that, in all likelihood, the USPS lost the 9-19-03 EMP that I properly addressed and deposited for delivery to the USPTO on September 19, 2003.

Favorable consideration granting the September 19, 2003 filing date for advancing each of the above-identified PCT National Stage applications would be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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## AFFIDAVIT

I, Deborah G. VandenHoff, hereby declare and state that:

1. I am a Patent Agent registered to practice before (a) the United States Patent & Trademark Office ("USPTO") since 1999 (Registration No. 45,176) and (b) the Canadian Intellectual Property Office ("CIPO") since 1993 (Registration No. 4,216).
2. This is the first instance during my 12-year experience as a patent agent that I needed to petition for relief from either the USPTO or CIPO for acknowledging a USPS Express Mail or Canada Post Priority Mail deposit date to obtain that deposit date as a filing date because the subject correspondence was lost by one of those postal services.

**Re: *Preparing & Depositing Express Mail Package ER275611307US on September 19, 2003***

3. I prepared the correspondence for advancing the National Phase in the US on PCT/CH02/00151 (Docket No. GLN-031US) and PCT/CH02/00150 (Docket No. GLN-032US).
4. PCT/CH02/00150 correspondence contained an executed Declaration, while PCT/CH02/00151 correspondence did not because the originating attorney for the applicant in Switzerland had not provided me an executed Declaration for PCT/CH02/00151 prior to depositing the correspondence on September 19, 2003.
5. I placed the correspondence for both applications in a single US Express Mail "Flat Rate" envelope on September 19, 2003. The correspondence for advancing the National Phase for each application was clipped together with separate binder clips, with the return receipt postcard and Transmittal letter on top of each respective bundle of documents.
6. I affixed a US Express Mail stamp (\$13.65) on the US Express Mail "Flat Rate" envelope, which postage was sufficient for a "Flat Rate" envelope.

7. I completed US Express Mail ER275611307US label with (a) the return address, namely the office building address of my firm, Van Tassel & Associates ("VTA"), and my office phone number (713-839-1749) and (b) the intended recipient address, namely "US Patent & Trademark Office, Commissioner for Patents, Arlington VA 22313-1450." I also marked the Express Mail label with the notation "Mail Stop PCT."
8. I deposited the US Express Mail package under Express Mail label ER275611307US (hereinafter "9-19-03 EMP") in the US Express Mail drop box located on the first floor US mail delivery area of VTA's office building, the Bellaire Atrium I building, located at 5959 West Loop South, Bellaire, TX 77401 ("Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box") on Friday, September 19, 2003 at about 1:45 pm.
9. I logged the deposit in my US Express Mail log on Saturday, September 20, 2003 at about 11:00 am.

**Re: 3-Year History of Maintaining US Express Mail Log & Types of US Express Mail Deposits**

10. I have maintained the US Express Mail log since March 26, 2002. A copy of the US Express Mail log is attached to this Affidavit.
11. I have prepared all US Express Mail packages and labels for all the US Express Mail deposits in the log. I make entries into the US Express Mail log typically within about three hours of making a deposit, but no later than within one day of making a deposit.
12. In the period from March 26, 2002 to February 28, 2003, VTA's contract bookkeeper at the time, Dixi Chandler, deposited 10 of the US Express Mail packages under my direction, while I personally deposited 7 of the packages. Thereafter, I personally deposited all US Express Mail packages, at one of the following specified locations:
  - (1) at a service counter staffed by a US Postal Service ("USPS") employee at the Bellaire, TX Post Office;
  - (2) in Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box;
  - (3) in a US Express Mail drop box at the Bellaire, TX Post Office; or
  - (4) at a service counter staffed by a USPS employee at Houston's George Bush Intercontinental Airport facility, with a zip code of 77205 ("IAH").

**Re: Personal Experience With Express Mail Drop Box Deposits & USPS Track & Confirm Database**

13. Before the 9-19-03 EMP's September 19, 2003 deposit date, I deposited 3 other Express Mail packages in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box that were successfully delivered to the USPTO. All 3 US Express Mail packages were timely received by the USPTO, which I can further verify, as necessary, with either a date-stamped return postcard and/or official USPS delivery confirmation status reports obtained from the official USPS Track & Confirm Database ("T/C DB").
14. Since the 9-19-03 EMP's deposit date of September 19, 2003, I have deposited 26 other US Express Mail packages, using two different US Express Mail drop boxes, all of which have been successfully delivered to the USPTO. 24 of the US Express Mail packages were deposited in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box and 2 were deposited at the Bellaire, TX Post Office drop box. All 26 US Express Mail packages were timely received by the USPTO, which I can further verify, as necessary, with official USPS delivery confirmation status reports obtained from the official USPS T/C DB.
15. But there is no record in the USPS T/C DB for the 9-19-03 EMP, even though the T/C DB is consistently maintained back to two years from the present date, at least with respect to 41 of VTA's 42 US Express Mail package deposits.
16. Beginning June 6, 2003 to present, I find the USPS T/C DB consistently shows a package delivered for every package in my US Express Mail log, except for the 9-19-03 EMP. That is, dating back to June 6, 2003, a status report confirming delivery to the USPTO for each of VTA's US Express Mail deposits, excepting the 9-19-03 EMP, is presently available in the USPS T/C DB, while prior to that date no such reports are available, despite their successful delivery to the USPTO, but verifiable by other means (e.g., a date-stamped return receipt postcard).
17. Therefore, only one of 25 (i.e., 4%) US Express Mail packages I deposited in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box has no record in the USPS T/C DB. That is, the 9-19-03 EMP is the only one of 25 packages I have deposited in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box in the past two years that has no record in the USPS T/C DB. In other words, over the past two years, the USPS has had a 96% success rate in delivering US Express Mail packages that I have deposited in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box.
18. Moreover, only one of 27 (i.e., 3.7%) US Express Mail packages I deposited in any US Exp Mail drop box has no record in the USPS T/C DB. That is, the 9-19-03 EMP is the only one of 27 packages I have

deposited in US Express Mail drop boxes at both Bellaire Atrium I and the Bellaire, TX Post Office in the past two years that has no record in the USPS T/C DB. In other words, the USPS has had a 96.7% success rate in delivering US Express Mail packages that I have deposited in all US Express Mail drop boxes over the past two years, wherein the 9-19-03 EMP is the lone exception.

19. The 9-19-03 EMP has neither been returned to me nor been received by the USPTO since I deposited it on September 19, 2003.
20. Therefore, in view of the aforementioned and verifiable facts, I believe, in all likelihood, that the 9-19-03 EMP, containing all of the above-identified correspondence, which I deposited on September 19, 2003, was lost before it could be properly entered into the USPS Express Mail delivery system at the USPS IAH facility for proper tracking, delivery, and, as needed, retrieval.

**Re: *Express Mail Delivery of All VTA's US Express Mail Packages to USPTO Since March 26, 2002***

21. The Express Mail log attached to this Affidavit provides information for 66 Express Mail packages addressed to the USPTO, 42 of which were deposited within the past two years, and whose delivery status can therefore be checked on the USPS T/C DB for basic delivery confirmation to the USPTO.
22. For the 42 US Express Mail packages that I have deposited in the past two years, whether at a USPS service counter or US Express Mail drop box, I have obtained basic delivery confirmation from the USPS T/C DB for each package except the 9-19-03 EMP.
23. Therefore, only one of 42 (i.e., 2.4%) of the US Express Mail packages that I have deposited in the past two years, whether in a USPS Express Mail drop box or at a USPS service counter staffed by a USPS employee, have no record in the USPS T/C DB.
24. In other words, the USPS has a 97.6% success rate in delivering all US Express Mail packages that I have deposited over the past two years.
25. Meanwhile, over the past two years, the USPS has a 100% success rate in delivering all of VTA's US Express Mail packages that the USPS properly entered into its Express Mail delivery system (i.e., packages were successfully entered into the USPS T/C DB).
26. Furthermore, of the 66 VTA US Express Mail packages deposited since March 26, 2002, only one package, namely the 9-19-03 EMP, out of the 66 packages (i.e., 1.5%) failed to get delivered to the USPTO by the USPS Express Mail Service.

27. In other words, the USPS has a 98.5% success rate in delivering US Express Mail packages deposited by me or under my direction since March 26, 2002, whether the US Express Mail package was deposited in a USPS Express Mail drop box or at a service counter staffed by a USPS employee.

**Re: Opportunity for USPS to Mishandle and Lose US Express Mail Packages Deposited at US Express Mail Drop Box**

28. On May 21, 2005, I learned from a USPS employee that the US Express Mail packages deposited in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box are not scanned immediately on pick-up.
29. On May 21, 2005, I was advised by a USPS employee that the first scanning opportunity for an Express Mail package picked up from the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box is the Houston USPS IAH Airport facility, approximately 35 miles (shortest driving distance) from the Bellaire Atrium I with multiple stop/pick-up points.
30. US Express Mail packages picked up from our office building may be scanned for the first time from as little as 1 hour, but more typically from 2.5-4 hours, and perhaps as much as 29 or more hours after the scheduled USPS pick-up.
- (a) For example, I deposited US Express Mail package ER275616088US on Friday, October 17, 2003 at 3:15 pm in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box. The USPS provided a "date-in" of October 18, 2003 because the USPS failed to process the package until Saturday October 18 at 8:15 pm, even though there is no scheduled USPS pick-up from Bellaire Atrium I on Saturdays.
- (b) As another example, I deposited US Express Mail package EU824933255US at 11:30 am on Friday, June 6, 2003 in the Bellaire Atrium I US Exp Mail drop box. The scheduled pick-up was 3:45 pm. Nonetheless, the Express Mail receipt returned to me has a "date-in" of June 7, 2003, since the USPS failed to process the package until 0053 am on June 7.
31. So, because September 19, 2003 was also a Friday, there is a substantial likelihood that the 09-19-03 EMP also incurred a significant transit/storage delay before it could be properly entered into the USPS Express Mail system and therefore, most probably, was lost during that pre-processing delay.

25 May 2005  
Date

  
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ET838539715US Washington DC 20231	Mar. 26/02	2:17 pm	Bellaire Post Office (Service Counter)	GLN-009US	PCT/CH01/00118	Response to Notification of Missing Requirements w/ Declaration, Preliminary Amendment to avoid multiply dependent claims & surcharge Assignment	DC 2:35 pm. 3/26/02
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ER25611307US Arlington VA 22313-1450	Sep. 19/03	1:45 pm	5959 West Loop South (USPS Express Mail Drop Box)	3:45 pm	GLN-031US	PCT/CH02/00151	National Phase Entry	DG V 11:00 am 9/20/03
ER25611307US Arlington VA 22313-1450	Sep. 19/03	1:45 pm	5959 West Loop South (USPS Express Mail Drop Box)	3:45 pm	GLN-032US	PCT/CH02/00150	National Phase Entry	DG V 11:00 am 9/20/03
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ER275616091US Arlington VA 22313-1450	Nov. 3/03	4:42 pm	Bellaire Post Office (Service Counter)	5:00 pm	GLN-036US	PCT/CH02/00240	National Phase Entry	DG V 6:15 pm 11/3/03
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EO908086979US Alexandria VA 22313-1450	Mar. 14/05	12:30 pm	5959 West Loop South (USPS Express Mail Drop Box)	3:45 pm	GLN-031US	PCT/CH02/00151	2 <sup>nd</sup> Submission	DG V 3:15 pm 3/14/05
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EO909491394US Alexandria VA 22313-1450	May 18/05	11:45 am	5959 West Loop South (USPS Express Mail Drop Box)	GLN-060US	PCT/CH2003/000745	National Phase Entry	DG V 3:20 pm 5/18/05

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